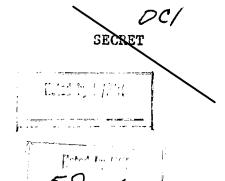
December 30, 1960



NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

AGENDA

For the Meeting to be held in the Cabinet Room of The White House on Thursday, January 5, 1961, from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

ITEM 1 -- DRAFT RECORD OF ACTIONS, 470th NSC MEETING

For further consideration of Item 1 c of the Draft Record of Actions of the 470th NSC Meeting.

ITEM 2 -- U. S. POLICY ON THE PANAMA CANAL AND A FUTURE INTER-OCEANIC CANAL IN CENTRAL AMERICA (NSC 6026)

For consideration of the draft statement of policy on the subject contained in NSC 6026.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

ITEM 2 -- SIGNIFICANT WORLD DEVELOPMENTS AFFECTING U. S. SECURITY

For discussion, in the light of an oral briefing on the subject by the Director of Central Intelligence.

ITEM 3 -- POSSIBLE DEFICIENCIES IN THE U. S. POSTURE FOR LIMITED MILITARY OPERATIONS

(Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, subject: "U. S. and Allied Capabilities for Limited Military Operations to 1 July 1962", dated September 28, 1960; NSC Action No. 2317; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, subject: "Possible Deficiencies in the U. S. Posture for Limited Military Operations", dated December 30, 1960)

For discussion, on the basis of a presentation on the subject by the Department of Defense, prepared pursuant to NSC Action No. 2317-c; in the light of the enclosures to the reference memorandum of December 30, 1960.

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ADDITIONAL ITEM FOR CONSIDERATION

ITEM # -- MISSILES AND MILITARY SPACE PROGRAMS

(NSC Actions Nos. 1433, 1484, 1615-c, 1653, 1690, 1733, 1765, 1800, 1846, 1956, NOTE following 2013, 2081, 2118, 2168, 2207, 2208, 2238-b-(9), 2300-g, and 2315; Memo for NSC from Deputy Executive Secretary, same subject, dated December 14, 1960; NSC 6021; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, same subject, dated December 29, 1960)

For consideration of:

- (1) The recommendations of the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitted by the reference memorandum of December 20, 1960.
- (2) The draft statement of policy on the subject contained in NSC 6021 (transmitted by the reference memorandum of December 14, 1960).